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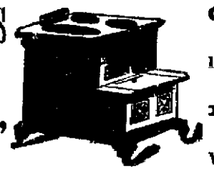

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Harvey's Examination of the Heart

In the time of Charles I. a young nobleman of the Montgomery family had an abscess in the side of his chest, in consequence of a fall. The wound healed, but an opening was left in his side of such a size that the heart and lungs were still visible, and could be handled. On the return of the young man from his travels the King heard of the circumstance, and requested Dr. Harvey to examine his heart. The following is Harvey's own account of the examination: "When I had paid my respects to the young nobleman and conveyed to him the King's request he made no concealment, but exposed the left side of his breast, where I saw a cavity into which I could introduce my finger and thumb. Astonished with the novelty, again and again I explored the wound, and first marveling at the extraordinary nature of the heart, taking it in one hand, and placing the finger of the other on the pulse of the wrist, I satisfied myself that it was indeed the heart I grasped. I then brought him to the King, that he might behold and touch such an extraordinary thing, and that he might perceive, as I did, that unless we touched the flesh or skin or when he saw our fingers in the cavity, this young nobleman knew not that we touched the heart."—*Miller's Monthly.*

Common Sense Ventilation.

The first practical statement I have met about ventilation, with a correspondent, was contained in the remark of a mining engineer in Pennsylvania. "Air is like a rope—you can pull it better than you can push it." All mechanical appliances for pushing air into a room or a house are disappointing. What we need to do is to pull out the vitiated air already in the room, the fresh supply will take care of itself if means for its admission are provided. It has been usual to withdraw the air through openings near the ceiling that is, to carry off the warmer and therefore lighter portions, leaving the colder strata at the bottom of the room, with their gradual accumulation of cooled carbonic acid undisturbed. Much the better plan would be to draw the lower air out from a point near the floor, allowing the warmer and upper portions to descend and takes its place. An open fire, with a large chimney throat is the best ventilator for any room, the one half or two thirds of the heat carried up the chimney is the price paid for immunity from disease and large though this seems, from its daily draft on the woodpile or coal bin it is trifling when compared with doctors bills and with the loss of strength and efficiency that invariably result from living in unventilated apartments.

The following simple precaution is suggested out West: In retiring for the night, spread newspapers loosely in front of the doorways and windows. The noise produced at the dead of night by treading on crinkling newspapers or attempting to remove them from the pathway be the laugh ever so stealthy and expert is sufficient to give almost any keen person notice of the presence and whereabouts of the midnight fox.

—The London *Lancet* suggests the following simple treatment for felons: As soon as the disease is felt put a bit of cloth over the spot and blister about the size of the thumb nail, and let it remain for six hours at the expiration of which time, directly under the surface of the blister may be seen the felon which can instantly be taken out with the point of a needle or a lancet. A piece of adhesive paper will keep the blister in place.

T. R. CHURCH'S
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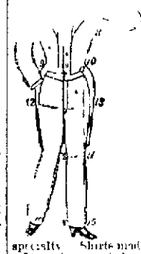
JUST RECEIVED—OUR FIRST CONSIGNMENT of the Latest Novelties of Business Dress and Half Dress Suits, in all the variety of Over Coats and Cloaks, and a large assortment of HOSE, most delicate shades of Ties, Bows and Silk Hat Berchiefs, Gents' Furnishing Goods in every variety. New Shapes in Collars and Cuffs.

Self Measurement Rules
For Mens, Youths and Boys' Clothing, so simple that a child can understand them, are now ready for gratuitous distribution by mail or upon application otherwise.



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I am now opening my Fall and Winter styles of Business Suits, also new styles of Dress and Cloaks and Vests, and Light Pants. Extra sizes and extra lengths a specialty. Shirts made to order.
Inspection invited confident that I am fully prepared to advance the reductions that the trade is the best styles and best fits for the least money ever offered at
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4½ lbs good Japan Tea, box	$1 75
1 lb good Japan Tea	50
1 lb choice Japan Tea	60
1 lb best English Breakfast	1 00
1 lb choice English Breakfast	75
1 lb good Black Breakfast	40
4 lbs good Coffee, ground	1 00
3 lbs best Coffee, ground	1 00
1 lb Family Chocolate	25
1 box Chemical Olive Soap, 20 bars	90
1 box sup's Laundry Starch, 12 lbs	1 00
San Francisco Star one year	1 50

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Drunkenness Restored to Sobriety in 5 Minutes!
Apparatus and the preparation with full directions will accompany any article sent by express C. O. D. PRICE, $10.
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It will cure the most hopeless drunkard if Directions are followed in a very short time.
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SUNDAY .....JANUARY 3, 1876

By Carriers, 15 cents per Week

Financial Quotations.

Following are the rates of gold and greenbacks up to 2 P. M. to-day

GOLD	113
GREENBACKS, buying	88½
selling	88

☞ **The circulation of the TRIBUNE is double that of any paper published in Alameda county.**

TO ADVERTISERS.

For the benefit of the advertising public, we would state and stand ready to prove, that the TRIBUNE has ABOUT DOUBLE (or nearly THREE TIMES) the *bona fide* READERS, in Oakland, of any other paper published in this county. Advertisers are the ones benefited and it is important that they should know these facts. We write our morning duties to honestly disprove the above statement. Our subscription books are open to public inspection. Date the coming year.

A fast sailing steamer from San Francisco that sails in advance of the steamer *Pacific* disaster were tossed up by a ship bound for Australia. Those who had friends on board the ill fated steamer will anxiously await a confirmation of this shadow report and to learn who the dead survivors are.

It must require talent, experience and a certain skill in the intricate science of engineering, to lay out cross walks on the brain of the cutters will be perfecting a theme with a certain view of the cross walks in Oakland. In parts of the streets the water is so high the walks almost impossible.

A bill to discourage stock gambling was introduced by Senator McGarvey. It provides to amend the Penal Code so as to make it a misdemeanor for any director, officer or agent of any corporation or joint stock association, to wilfully make any false report, statement or exhibit concerning the condition or affairs of the company or to knowingly sign or countenance any such false representation.

Senator Lane manifests an antagonism to the State militia which can only be accounted for upon the hypothesis that the early period of his existence has been such as to cause him to have been startled by the explosion of a fire cracker, referring to the necessity for a well organized militia the *Alta* this morning says:

"The necessity of having a well drilled and reliable militia in all the states must be apparent to every observer. The most alarming feature in the present condition of our country is the readiness with which some of our statesmen seem to estimate the dangers of a civil war. Senator Lane and others appear to think that the mere making the military service of the states as light as possible and its duties as little as possible will necessitate the disorganization of the militia."

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And Our firm have hauled their [illegible] San Francisco harbor to get an [illegible] inspection. They perhaps know how to manipulate the United States Treasury, and it may be that these officers are retained in the interest of the Company. By the way, isn't it about time something was heard from the committee of investigation which the United States at homes were supposed to be making in relation to the *Pacific* disaster?

When the Oakland [illegible] that the short [illegible] knew very little of the [illegible] street bridge matter. [illegible] positive reason for thinking that the [illegible] ever suggested the [illegible] the city of Oakland [illegible] if so desired and even [illegible] inducements [illegible] a stronger [illegible] county to city. This [illegible] We cannot grapple with [illegible] represents us—[illegible]

Our Alameda friend ought to know that the TRIBUNE is not in the practice of "wilfully misrepresenting" its antagonists. The changing of the word "county" to city in the lines quoted from the *Encinal* was the work of the intelligent compositor aided and abetted by the proof reader. Now so far as the merits of the Webster-street bridge matters are concerned Brother Kraich has positive reason to know that the TRIBUNE is thoroughly acquainted with the rise, progress and decay of that great structure and we cannot understand why our neighbor should resort to misstatements unless it was because he found himself in a tight place and unable to grapple with an antagonist whose batteries carried too many facts for him. There is one thing in connection with the subject in controversy which the *Encinal* has never had the temerity to mention, although fully posted in relation thereto, and that is the real object for which the Webster-street bridge was constructed. The aim heretofore has been to create the impression that the bridge and roadway was devised to accommodate the people of Oakland and Alameda, who it was alleged were just suffering to commingle and mix and mass with one another's affairs. But this was an erroneous impression as the *Encinal* very well knows. The bridge was conceived in Alameda by the proprietors of the horse railroad between the two places. They desired to run their line across the estuary and did not want to go to the expense of constructing a bridge. To the necessities of this horse railroad company may be traced the parentage of the Webster-street bridge and roadway. It was represented to the Council of the city of Oakland that the people of Alameda were anxious for the bridge and were perfectly willing to stand half the expense attending its construction. No objection was heard from any source, until after the structure was completed. The *Encinal* certainly was as silent as the tomb. Our Alameda contemporary is in favor of turning the bridge over to the county. Now, rather than have the institution permanently closed we will favor this proposition, provided it is possible to compel that horse railroad company to supply the bridge-tender, at their expense, and keep the structure in repair for the privilege of using it. We do not believe that the people should be taxed to furnish conveniences for any private corporation, and that is what the Webster-street bridge amounts to at present. How does the *Encinal* like our proposition?

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL, Twelfth street, Oakland. First-class accommodations [illegible] HENRY WEAVER [illegible]

TO INFORM THE LADIES that they can find the celebrated "Madame Foster" at the Wheeler & Wilson office, 472 Eighth street, Oakland, and Washington.

The session of the City Council this evening promises to be one of more than ordinary importance, especially to those interested in the fire department. It is the time for electing a Chief and Assistant Engineers for the ensuing year. We understand that at the urgent request of many citizens Mr. Montanya will be a candidate for re-election as Chief Engineer, and it is not likely that the opposition which some of the sorehead outs are attempting to create against him, will amount to much. The most active opponents to Mr. Montanya's election are those men who rendered the volunteer system disreputable, and who were turned out when the department was reorganized. Under the able management of the present Chief the most perfect discipline has been maintained, and the department is efficient and effective. Mr. Montanya has the entire confidence of the business public, and the people generally and it would be hazardous to make a change, especially to gratify those who are attempting to effect that result. It has been demonstrated that the department is in better subordination without the presence of those men who belonged to it only to disgrace it, and the Council should take good care that such characters continue to be excluded from a connection with the organization. Some of these men have given out that they control three or four votes in the Council. It will be interesting to see if their boasts in this regard be verified by the action of any of the members of the Council this evening.

NEW TO-DAY.

BOOTS & SHOES.

JOHN SULLIVAN, NORTHEAST CORNER of Battery and Jackson streets, San Francisco, offers to make to order the best French Calf Leather BOOTS at from $8 to $10; Calf Congress Leather Boots $8; French Calf Oxford Ties $3 50; California $3; boys and children's boots and shoes made to order. Persons from the country ordering Boots or Shoes to the amount of Twelve Dollars or more will be allowed a reduction of four per cent so as to make the express charges light. I sell boots and shoes of my own manufacture only. Boots and Shoes cent C. O. D. Positively one price.

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FROM 10 TO 11 O'CLOCK A. M. UNTIL until further notice, give my services one hour each day (Sundays excepted)

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Dividend Notice

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS HAS declared a dividend to the earnings of the savings department, December 31st, 1875, as follows: Ordinary depositors at the rate of nine and one half per cent per annum payable on and after January 10th, 1876. All dividends unclaimed for by February 1st, 1876, will be passed to the credit of depositors in accounts bearing interest.

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For the Grand German Spectacle of Snowflake. Apply on and after Monday, December 6th, from 10 A. M. till 1 P. M. at WADE'S OPERA HOUSE, Mission street near Third.

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IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE APPLICATION of five Stockholders in the Building and Loan Association of Oakland, and pursuant to Section 642 of the Civil Code of the State of California, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Stockholders of said Building and Loan Association will be held at the office of the Association, at 10½ Broadway, in the city of Oakland, State of California, on the 13th day of January, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M., for the purpose of determining the question whether or not the said Association shall settle its affairs or its engagements, funds and property to the Home Security Building and Loan Association, a similar corporation existing and having its principal place of business in the city of Oakland, and for the purpose of determining the terms upon which such sale and transfer may be made.

Date this 30th day of December, 1875.

C. W. ASHES, President.

I. S. PAGE, Secretary.

ATTENTION PUBLIC!

A DIME EXPRESS.

Office 867 BROADWAY, west side, bet. Seventh and Eighth streets, Oakland.

THE UNDERSIGNED SEEING THE NECESSITY of the business, has established in this city an express as above stated, and has a

No. 1 HORSE AND WAGON.

With which he expects to receive and fill orders in a prompt and satisfactory manner. Will go to West Oakland every forenoon at 11 o'clock to East Oakland in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. All goods delivered in this city FOR A DIME.

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The nerve food and blood equalizer is composed of consolidated extracts and active principles of foreign herbs, prepared under the supervision of M. DOCTUS FERDINANDERZ, the Vegetarian. It is Nature's true remedy. Thousands, even on this coast, will vouch for its efficiency. It is not only a palliative, but an eliminator of all diseases due to the lack of nerve power in the old, middle aged and young, male and female. It cures Catarrh, Gravel Incontinence of Urine, Gleet and Irritation of the Bladder, all scrofular Humors, Tumors, Old Sores Ulcerations, Bad Effects of Mercury, and Cancers, Nervous Debility, Weakness, Loss or Excess of Manhood, and all diseases of the Lungs, Heart, Liver, Spleen, Kidneys, Womb, Bladder &c. &c.

Thousands of persons of our leading families bear testimony to its wonderful efficiency.

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Centrally Situated

OAKLAND PROPERTY

AT AUCTION ON THE

INSTALLMENT PLAN!

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Will Sell at Public Auction,

Saturday, Jan. 8, 1876,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., AT SALESROOMS,

460 And 462 Eighth Street, Oakland,

That Beautiful Residence Property,

Situated on the Corner of

FOURTEENTH AND ADELINE STS.

Blocks 574 and 575 will be sold, each as a whole,

Blocks 586 and 587 will be sold in

80 LARGE LOTS.

TERMS—One fourth Cash, balance payable in small monthly instalments, at ten per cent interest. For example: On a purchase of $1 000, the cash payment would be $250, and the monthly instalment on the remaining $750, if paid in 6 years, would be $13 90, if paid in 5 years $15 94, in 4 years $19 02, in 3 years $24 21. Other sums in like proportion. If preferred by purchasers, terms may be one-fourth cash, one-fourth in one two and three yearly payments, with interest at 10 per cent. A deposit of 10 per cent required on the fall of the hammer. Instruments of sale at purchasers expense, 15 days allowed for search. TITLE PERFECT.

The property is [illegible] for residences. Station and desirability cannot be excelled. [illegible] citizens in immediate vicinity. Adeline and [illegible] streets are macadamized, water [illegible] gas mains within [illegible]

Maps will be ready in a few days. Examine this property.

E. C. SESSIONS & CO., 460 and 462 Eighth St., Oakland.

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J. O. ELDRIDGE, Auctioneer.

GREAT AUCTION SALE

OF

INSTALLMENT LOTS

At Center-Street Station,

OAKLAND,

Saturday, Jan. 8, 1876,

At 1 O'clock P. M., on the Property, we will Sell

Block bounded by Eighth, Center and Chester Streets and Railroad Avenue,

In 28 Subdivisions

25 to 35 feet front, by 100 to 150 in depth.

Also, to be removed, that fine mansion situated on said block and known as the GIBBONS HOUSE, suitable for boarding house or hotel, to be removed from the property, or will be sold at purchaser's option, with lot 100x150, fronting on either Eighth Street or Railroad Avenue.

TERMS OF SALE—One fifth cash, balance by monthly or quarterly installments extending through 4 to 6 years as desired by purchaser with interest at the rate of ten (10) per cent. per annum or at the option of the purchaser, one fourth cash, balance in 1 2 and 3 years with interest payable quarterly, at the rate of nine (9) per cent per annum, all deferred payments to be secured upon the property, a deposit of 10 per cent required upon the fall of the hammer 10 days allowed for search of title, all sums payable in United States gold coin, acts of sale at purchaser's expense. Title perfect. Abstract may be seen at our Oakland office. Sale will take place on the property. Maps and full particulars can be had of

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EIGHTH STREET FURNITURE HOUSE!

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UPHOLSTERING, CABINET MAKING AND REPAIRING

Of all kinds done on the Shortest Notice.

Call at 468 Eighth St.

And see his elegant stock.

S. FRANCIS,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

1006 Broadway, 3 doors from 10th,

Is now receiving his Fall stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, BEAVERS, etc., and is prepared to make up gentlemen's garments in superior style and at rates of charge that will compare favorably in cheapness with any San Francisco establishment.

F. L. TAYLOR,

ARCHITECT,

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Room 31 Third Floor, San Francisco.

RESIDENCE, corner of 17th street and Telegraph avenue, Oakland.

ST. JOSEPH

BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. JOSEPH'S Benevolent Society will be held on SUNDAY, January 9th at 10 o'clock A. M. Members will please bring their medals, otherwise rules governing dues will be strictly enforced.

OWEN LAFFERTY, President.

SEATTLE COAL

FROM THE

RENTON MINE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RECEIVED the agency of this Coal all stockholders of the Renton Coal Company are requested to leave their orders at

THOMAS & ANDERSON'S

Wood and Coal Yard, 413 Tenth street, between Franklin and Broadway.

NEW COAL YARD,

DUFFY & O'NEIL,

Proprietors,

S. E. Cor. 9th and Franklin Streets,

OAKLAND.

All kinds of Wood, Coal, Coke and Charcoal, kept constantly on hand.

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CHANGE OF FIRM.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8, 1875.

We have this day disposed of our interest in the Hardware Business in the city of Oakland to Messrs. W. & M. EVERSON.

Referring to the above we wish to express our sincere thanks to the citizens of Oakland for their generous patronage during the time we have been conducting business in that city, and also to express the hope that the same kind consideration may be extended to our successors.

GEO. S. BROWN & CO.

W. & M. EVERSON,

Successors to Geo. S. Brown & Co.,

Importers and Dealers

IN

Hardware, Cutlery,

TOOLS,

Agricultural Implements.

SOUTHWEST CORNER

NINTH AND BROADWAY,

OAKLAND.

CHRISTMAS

AND

NEW YEAR PRESENTS!

AT

HARRIS BROTHERS'

Clothing Emporium.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE ABOVE named establishment have received from Eastern markets a fine assortment of

LATEST STYLE AND CUT,

A Choice Lot of Handsome Diagonal

Men's and Boys' Suits

Suitable for Holiday Presents,

which they offer to the public of Oakland at extremely

AT GREAT BARGAINS.

A large assortment of

Men's and Boys'

Furnishing Goods

at reduced prices. Call and examine stock and be convinced that we mean what we say.

HARRIS BROTHERS

Clothing Emporium,

903 BROADWAY,

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NEW DUPEE HAMS!

POULTRY, BUTTER,

EGGS,

ALL KINDS OF NUTS,

FRUITS, RAISINS,

Maple Sugar, Maple Syrup,

HONEY, Etc.

C. R. LEWIS & CO.,

1009 BROADWAY,

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Hail the Coming Year

I HAVE LAID IN EXPRESSLY FOR THE Holidays a complete and unrivalled stock of

CHOICE CANDIES,

Boxes, Cornucopias,

Nick-Nacks for Children,

ALSO CHOICE

Cakes for Weddings and Parties.

☞ Ice Cream on the shortest notice. No better stock can be found anywhere and I have selected it designing the same for the holiday trade. Call and try my goods and prove their quality.

R. PFISTER,

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CALIFORNIA BAKERY,

707 Broadway,

Between Third and Fourth Sts.

THE UNDERSIGNED AT THE SOLICITATION of numerous customers in various parts of the city announce that hereafter they will resume the running of their

BREAD WAGONS

For the delivery of Bread. Customers wishing Bread left at their houses will oblige by leaving their orders at the Bakery.

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BEAUTIFUL

Building Lots

FOR SALE

ON EASY TERMS,

In the Lands of the

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Adjoining the State University at Berkeley.

Best Possible Opportunity for Investment.

Deed to purchasers conveyed by

BERKELEY FERRY STEAMER

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FREE OF CHARGE,

On application to

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GEO. T. HANLY & CO.,

922 Market Street,

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Are selling TEAS and a general line of Groceries at very low prices, viz:

4½ lbs good Japan Tea, box	$1 75
1 lb good Japan Tea	50
1 lb choice Japan Tea	60
1 lb best English Breakfast	1 00
1 lb choice English Breakfast	75
1 lb good Black Breakfast	40
4 lbs good Coffee, ground	1 00
3 lbs best Coffee, ground	1 00
1 lb Family Chocolate	25
1 box Chemical Olive Soap, 20 bars	90
1 box sup'e Laundry Starch, 12 lbs	1 00
San Francisco Star one year	1 00

We buy our teas in the best Coffee Mills in the country and by water power, and by a combination, they are made with that [illegible] in any shape from 1 to 2 000 pounds.

GEO. T. HANLY & CO.,

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Should at least, have a Good

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FURNISHES TO YOUNG MEN OF OAKLAND and its vicinity a superior advantage in every department of a thorough practical Business Education.

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Address or call on the Principals,

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ALL KINDS OF

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THE LATEST IMPROVED RANGES, COOK Ware, Utensils of every description, Wooden Ware, etc. Old stoves taken in part payment for new.

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OAKLAND.

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THIS EVENING!

GRAND OPENING

132 THIRD STREET,

Between Mission and Howard.

THE ABOVE STORE WILL BE OPENED ON THIS EVENING with the fore-sold [illegible]

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers,

Not Offered in this city.

R. SCHILLER,

[illegible]

Don't Forget 132 Third,

THIS EVENING.

E. T. CARRIQUE,

AGENT FOR THE

STATE INVESTMENT

AND

INSURANCE COMPANY,

(FIRE AND MARINE)

Cash Assets, - $500,000

[illegible]

OFFICE, 460 EIGHTH ST.,

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OLNEY & CO.

HAVE MADE ARRANGEMENTS BY WHICH [illegible]

J. O. ELDRIDGE.

H. M. Newhall & Co.,

[illegible]

Messrs. H. M. NEWHALL & CO.,

[illegible] SAN FRANCISCO.

Auctioneer.

OAKLAND

BROOM FACTORY

HERMAN CORDES, Proprietor,

South Side Ninth Street, Near Broadway,

OAKLAND.

[illegible] WOOD AND WILLOW WARE [illegible]

Brooklyn & Fruit Vale R. R.

HORSE CARS.

Will run between Brooklyn and Fruit Vale Station as follows, until further notice:

Dashes (Sundays excepted) [illegible]

From Brooklyn to Vale		From Fruit Vale to Brooklyn	
A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
6 00	6 40	[illegible]	8 00
7 00	7 40	[illegible]	9 00
[illegible]	8 00	[illegible]	10 00
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P. M.	P. M.	12 00	1 00
2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00
3 00	2 00	2 00	3 00
4 00	3 00	3 00	4 00
5 00	4 00	4 00	5 00
6 25	5 00	5 00	
Saturdays only, extra trips only at 7 00	6 00		

Hourly on O. R. R. R. leaving corner Broadway and Seventh street hourly, but a few minutes later with morning Brooklyn Station. [illegible]

NOVEMBER 15.

R. McCRUM & CO.,

Corner 12th and Broadway,

[illegible]

Eastern Apple Butter,

1 1-2 Pound Pails.

Eastern Peach Butter

1 1-2 Pound Pails.

Eastern Jellies, 1 lb Pails.

Eastern Mince Meat,

1 lb and Pails.

Irish and Scotch Oat Meal.

Eastern Grits.

SALT LAKE POTATOES!

They have no equal in the Market.

EASTERN BOILED CIDER,

ALL KINDS OF

Groceries and Provisions

Crockery, Etc.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

WATCHES!

SILVERWARE!

JEWELRY

Largest and Most Complete

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EVER OFFERED IN THIS CITY,

AT

L. P. BERGER'S,

967 BROADWAY.

☞ Don't fail to call and examine this stock before making purchases. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

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REAL ESTATE.

H. W. WOODWARD & CO.,

958 Broadway.

OAKLAND

CITY LOTS

For Sale on the

Instalment Plan.

$330 to $500 per Lot.

Cash payment, $40; balance, $15 per month.

Interest on the deferred payments, 10 per cent.

This Property is centrally located between Telegraph and San Pablo Avenues, fronting on San Pablo Avenue, Grove and West Streets, and is within [illegible] minutes walk of Broadway and Market street Stations.

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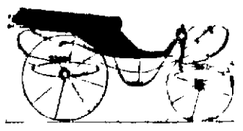

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REPAIRING,

FIRST CLASS CARRIAGE WORK

Buggies, Phaetons, Rockaways,

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OAKLAND

STONE FACTORY,

Cor. 2d and Franklin Sts.,

OAKLAND.

[illegible]

STONE FOR BUILDINGS,

Cemetery Work,

Copings and Ornamental Stone Work.

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CITY MARKET

Oyster

SALOON and RESTAURANT

11th Street, Oakland.

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DEALER IN

Oysters, Clams and Shell Fish,

WINES AND LIQUORS.

Families public and private [illegible] shipping and restaurants supplied.

FINE CUTLERY,

GUNS,

Pistols and Ammunition.

GUNS SET AND LOCKS, LAWN MOWERS, Razors and Scissors ground [illegible] Parasols mended, and all kinds of repairing done in the best style, at the shortest notice and lowest charges by

KREEPER BROS.,

11th Street, next door to City Market.

Bring your work and see what we can do.

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The same day if desired at the

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BOTH PROS. [illegible]

CARRIAGES AND WAGONS,

Made and Repaired.

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[illegible]

OAKLAND PROPERTY.

[illegible]

OAKLAND

REAL ESTATE.

[illegible]

GLADDING, BURNHAM

[illegible]

Offer for Sale 150 Lots

The Briggs Tract,

[illegible]

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MUSIC BOOKS,

Violin and Guitar Strings.

Musical Instruments Agency

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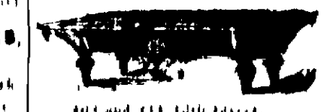

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HOLIDAYS! HOLIDAYS!

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

New Year is Here!

AND AT THE

New York Bakery,

910 BROADWAY,

[illegible]

FINE CUTLERY,

GUNS,

Pistols and Ammunition

[illegible]

FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

Fruit Cake [illegible] Pound, Sponge, Wine, Cocoanut, Silver, Pyramids, Charlotte Russe, Wedding Cakes, etc. [illegible]

FANCY and MIX[illegible]

Buns, Mince Pies, Pies, Lem[illegible]

BISCUIT [illegible]

Ice [illegible]

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MONDAY .....JANUARY 3, 1876

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OUR SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE,

2021 Montgomery street,

GEORGE EVANS, Manager

The circulation of the TRIBUNE is double that of any paper published in Alameda county.

MINING STOCK REPORT.

This Morning's Session.

[Special to the "Tribune" per Atlantic and Pacific Line.

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Dr. Voorhees.

Dr. Voorhees, who has been stopping at the Grand Central Hotel for a few days, returned to San Francisco.

City Council.

This body will hold a meeting this Monday evening, at which some important business will come up for consideration.

Stolen Property.

Any one who has lost property to the amount of $100 or more, should call at the Police Office and examine the goods recently stolen.

Police Court.

In Police Court this morning disposed of the cases, adjudged up $50 forfeited bond, and postponed the trial of the Hotel Brooklyn robbery until Thursday next.

Arrests.

The police made arrests by the police officers Friday night of two men, Thomas Freemont and Andrew Peterson, on suspicion of burglary, and five drunks, making in one night.

Population Increasing.

The population of the thriving village of Washington, in this county, reports the sale of 11,[illegible] three cent stamps during the year 1875, against 11,240 in 1874 and [illegible] in 1873.

Horse National Damaged.

The Encinal and Point Pole horse car running from the foot of Thirteenth avenue, East Oakland, to Point Pole, has been so badly damaged by the bridge the past few days, that it is the impression that road will be in disorder for the present.

West Oakland.

Many improvements are constantly being made in West Oakland, and business there seems to be growing rapidly. That portion of Oakland is eventually to become a thriving member. All it has lacked for a year or so, and at present lacks, is a good reportable little paper to represent its people and its interests.

Grand Jury.

The following named gentlemen were sworn in as Grand Jurors in the County Court this morning, by Judge Nye, appointing C. H. Dwinelle, Foreman: H. F. Rivers, R. Redfield, Peter H. E. Hildebrand, A. Deitz, A. B. Shaw, John F. Kellogg, C. H. Jenkins, Wm. Ashley, H. Heyer, D. A. Planer, C. J. Deane, A. L. Rice, Wm. Alby, Wm. Morrison.

Presentation.

On Saturday evening last, H. F. Meade, the child and Richard Central Supply, presented a bottle of Whitney & Co.'s syrups, was placed in each an elegant meerschaum pipe and cigar holder by the employees of the company and other friends. A very short and appropriate presentation speech was made by H. C. Hollub, which was responded to by the recipient with expectations from Heater's celebrated table.

Looking Up.

An item elsewhere appears concerning facts about the town of Alameda. We are glad to hear of things "looking up" over the Bay, and hope there may be no cause for such in Alameda's advance so far. The *Encinal* is doing a good deal of talking and we wish them both all possible success. We hope Brother Kendall may not be encouraged in his daily paper enterprise before the year is over.

A Significant Question.

Two old friends were thinking to the opening of the centennial year on Saturday last, when one asked the other: "Where in hell will we meet at the opening of the next centennial?" The other replied: "That is a significant question, but as I am not acquainted with the geography of the country to which you allude, I am not prepared to say at what precise point in that tropical region we shall meet a hundred years hence."

Suspicious Characters.

Among the latest arrests reported at police headquarters are Thomas Freemont and Andrew Peterson, who were found skulking in a car at Oakland Point. As the car contained some valuable property, it was supposed they were awaiting an opportunity to make way with the goods, and were therefore arrested by officer Mingo on suspicion of burglary. It is believed they entered the car somewhere up the road and "boom" their passage down, in the hope of making a haul at some way station or after arrival here.

Fine Revenue.

This office was the recipient of a New Year's present in the shape of a handsome and unmatched new broom, manufactured by the Pioneer Oakland Broom Factory, on Sixth street, near Broadway, all the material used being of Alameda county growth. The brooms manufactured by this establishment, of which Hermann Cordes is proprietor, are superior both in material and workmanship to the imported article, and our people would benefit their own interest by patronizing home industry.

Good Sleigh Bell.

The ninth anniversary ball of Alameda Council, No. 14, O. C. F. M., held at the Academy of Music, on New Year's eve, was one of the most successful entertainments ever given by the first Monday in this city. The hall was literally packed full indeed, for comfortable dancing, at least until the crowd thinned out a little. The music was splendid, to which the toes tripped fantastically to a late hour in the morning. The German citizens—many of whom were present in this occasion—are proverbial for successful socials in this character. The attendants comprised many of the leading citizens of Oakland, who will long remember the pleasant affair.

Overland Hotel.

This popular resort, on the corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Mrs. P. Meagher, proprietor, Board and lodging by the day, week or month. Rooms newly furnished and furnished, [illegible] Board and lodging by the day, week or month.

FIREMEN'S BANQUET.

New Year's Day at the Engine House.

Felton Engine and Relief Hook and Ladder Companies Entertain Their Friends.

The members of the Felton Engine Company, No. 2, and Relief Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, gave a New Year's dinner at their house on Sixth street last Saturday afternoon. About one hundred invitations had been extended, some seventy-five of which were represented in person. Among those present were Councilmen Everson, Huntington, and Miner, Supervisor Pumyea, Captain Rand, Chief Engineer De La Montanya, City Marshal, Perry Johnson, and several gentlemen from San Francisco.

THE HOUSE

Which is occupied by both companies was tastefully trimmed with flags and evergreens, and the walls were decorated with pictures souvenirs of other days in the shape of hats and belts which are fondly cherished by men who used to "run wid der machine" in the old volunteer days.

THE SPREAD.

A long table was stretched in the Hook and Ladder apartment. This was naturally the center of attraction. Before the work of devastation commenced, that table fairly creaked beneath the weight of edibles which had been heaped upon it and all prepared in the highest style of the cuisine art.

THE DISTURBANCE

Began about 1 o'clock. Mr. D. Hirshberg officiated at the head of the table in a manner that did credit to himself and added greatly to the enjoyment of the guests. Those quaint and ancient dinner rules: "Work for the jaws—Accident pause—Frequent ha-has!" were properly observed throughout the meal. After the ragged edge had been removed from the appetites of those gathered about the board, Hirshberg turned a stream of "sentiments" upon the company from a nozzle with a terrible bore which was as discouraging as it was unexpected.

"THE OAKLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT"

Struck Chief Engineer Montanya full in the face and sort of staggered him for an instant; but, like a good fireman, he speedily recovered, and responded in a few remarks suitable to the occasion. He congratulated the members of Felton Engine and Relief Hook and Ladder Companies upon the hospitable manner in which they had received their friends, and complimented the entire Department upon its efficiency and subordination.

"THE CITY COUNCIL"

Startled Mr. Everson from a deep and apparently interesting study of pig anatomy. He changed the subject immediately, and briefly referred to the difficulties which had been overcome to bring the Oakland Fire Department to its present condition of excellence. As Chairman of the Fire and Water Committee, most of the labor incident to the reorganization of the Department devolved upon him, and as a consequence, he had been the object of much of the ill-feeling occasioned by the radical changes which were introduced in the management of the organization. But the decided improvement in the effectiveness of the department was sufficient evidence of the wisdom of the reforms which had been effected. He wished the firemen and all present a "Happy New Year," and hoped that all might meet again upon the anniversary of this festive occasion.

"THE POLICE OF OAKLAND"

Was responded to by Capt. Rand. He said that it afforded him pleasure to testify to the respectability and orderly conduct of the Oakland Fire Department. He had heard the firemen called hoodlums; but the records of the Police Department did not sustain the charge. During the last year 1,800 arrests had been made in this city and among that number there was not a single fireman. He referred to the charges recently made in an unreliable morning paper about a "raid" upon the "Hotel de France," which it was attempted to fasten upon the firemen. The Captain said he had thoroughly investigated the matter, and that so far as the members of the fire department were concerned, they were not implicated in any wrong doing. He intimated that the howling that had been heard in certain quarters came from jealous and mischievous parties who were actuated by a spirit of revenge, for real or imagined grievances—that the reports doubtless originated with some unprincipled sneaks, who, being too cowardly to make an open warfare, had imposed upon the publisher of the paper in question, for the purpose of gratifying their spite. The Captain was frequently interrupted by applause. It was apparent to all who heard the Captain, that he fully understood and appreciated the little game which the contemptible conspirators had attempted to play.

"THE LADIES"

Were not forgotten, and Mr. Bankhead responded to the toast in a few appropriate remarks. Toast followed toast in rapid succession, each eliciting a response, and several songs were sung by members of the Department. The affair was most creditable in every respect. The firemen were sedulous in their attentions to their guests, and not the slightest ripple of discord interrupted the peace and harmony of the occasion. The earnest wish of all present was that the members of Felton Engine Company, No. 2, and Relief Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, might enjoy many returns of this happy New Year event.

County Court.

The January term of the County Court (Judge S. G. Nye, presiding.) commenced this forenoon. His Honor announced that he would, on Monday next, render decisions in all cases tried at the last term in which decisions had not already been rendered, and that immediately after the business of the County Court was disposed of probate business would be taken up. Fourteen prisoners appeared in the dock, five charged with burglary, four with grand larceny, three with house breaking and two with interfering with an officer. The Grand Jurors (a list of whom will be found in another item) were examined, sworn in and charged—no points of especial interest being dwelt upon in the charge. The civil calendar was then taken up, but owing to the absence of many interested attorneys and witnesses, but few cases were set for trial.

In Jail.

The following named prisoners were called up from the County Jail this morning to be present at the inauguration of the Grand Jury, before which their cases will shortly be brought: J. Quinn, charged with burglary; O'Brion, housebreaking; Gonsales, burglary; Wood, interfering with an officer; Earhart, burglary and grand larceny; O'Neil, burglary and housebreaking; Milwert, grand larceny; Hewett, housebreaking; Shields, burglary; Anderson, housebreaking; Kenny, interfering with an officer; Ah Wong, Ah Young and Ah Tom (Chinamen), grand larceny.

ELOCUTION.—Wm. N. Van Demark Teacher of Elocution in all its branches. Special attention to stage and lyceum aspirants. Room No. 18, Somerset House, 462 Twelfth street, Oakland.

PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING.—J. A. C. Macdonald invites those desiring plumbing and gas fitting done, to call upon him at his shop, on New Broadway, opposite east side of the City Hall, where he is prepared to do work at the lowest prices.

OAKLANDERS AND ALAMEDANS visiting Sacramento during the session of the Legislature, will find the State House, near the Capitol, corner of K and Tenth streets, a very desirable place (for convenience, comfort and reasonable charges), to put up at. H. Eldred, Proprietor. d144f

SQUANZA' CELEBRATED PUNCHES known as Welcome Punch, Whisky Punch, Pineapple Punch, Strawberry Punch and Jamaica Rum Punch, are now being introduced to the people of Oakland by Mr. Seina, at Becht' Saloon, corner of Broadway and 11th street. Squanza's Original Punches have been awarded seventeen first premiums. Go and try a Punch.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Annual Report of the Chief Engineer.

From the annual report of M. De La Montanya, Chief Engineer of the Oakland Fire Department, it appears that the number of alarms sounded during the year just ended was thirty-seven, of which twelve were false. Sixteen were for fires kindled by incendiaries, four for accidental fires, three for fires caused by burning chimneys, one for fire caused by a defective flue, and one was for fire from an unknown cause. The expenses of the Department were distributed as follows: Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, $3,000; Hook and Ladder Company No. 2, $104; Phœnix Steamer No. 1, $4,500; Felton Steamer No. 2, $1,200; Brooklyn No. 3, $200; Liberty No. 4, $100.

The latter company has been disbanded. The total expense, including salaries, etc., has been $11,040.

The Department consists of 50 members divided into three companies—two steamers and one hook and ladder company. In addition to this force there is in East Oakland a volunteer company numbering 52 members.

The valuation of Department property is fixed at $40,000. A house and lot was sold during the year to J. W. Pearson for $1,300. Engine No. 4 and Washington Hose carriage were disposed of to the Salinas City Corporation for $1,300.

During the year 19 hydrants have been erected, making a total of 51.

Mr. Montanya, amongst other suggestions, makes the following important ones: That two cisterns be built, one at the junction of Thirteenth avenue and East Twelfth street, and the other at the intersection of Eighth street and Wood. He advises the purchase of a steamer to be located in East Oakland, and recommends the erection of one brick engine house on the lot recently purchased in East Oakland, to accommodate one steamer and hook and ladder truck. The erection of hydrants whenever the improvements justify the expense is advised in the report.

All engines, hose carts, etc., are in good condition with the exception of Phœnix steamer, of which the boilers are weak. With careful running it will last some time but it can stand only a light steam pressure.

The report is a very full and comprehensive one but the foregoing embraces about all the points of general public interest.

A Birthday Party.

The Teutonic race are proverbial for their humor, their greatheartedness, and the unrestrained liberality with which they enjoy the socialisms of life. In this respect they remind us of the ancient Grecian school of philosophers, who believed in the full enjoyment of life, in juxtaposition to the long-faced, sanctimoniousness of those who pass through life with a sort of semi-dyspeptic nature, looking mere for pleasures to come than pleasures present. This native element was pleasantly manifested at a birthday party to which we were invited, given last evening at Turner Hall by August Heis, to his young German friends. Mr. Jacob Weiss, the uncle of the young man, was present and delivered himself of some exceedingly humorous remarks in the German language. Refreshments abounded on every hand. During the evening's entertainment two young ladies, Ida and Louise Mathews, beautifully sang, "Come, birdie, come," and upon encore, "High life in the Park." There were about fifty couples present, and the occasion was an unusually pleasant one. Mr. Heis has reached the nineteenth milestone of his journey through life. In this connection we insert the following card handed us for publication.

CARD.

AUGUST HEIS:—On behalf of the friends who participated in the entertainment given by you on the occasion of the anniversary of your nineteenth birthday to your friends, I return to you thanks, and hearty wishes for the return of many anniversaries of your natal day.

DIRECTOR.

A Novel Horse Race.

Brewster and Simpson have made a novel match, which is eliciting a good deal of talk in sporting circles. The race is to be between Lady Amanda and Golden Gate; a dash of a mile and a quarter, for $1,000 a side; $250 forfeit; to be run over the Oakland course, January 15th, rain or shine, regardless of the condition of the track. Golden Gate, a four-year-old, will carry one hundred and five pounds, and Lady Amanda, being a year the oldest, will be imposed with one hundred and eleven. A majority think that Golden Gate has the best of it, having defeated the other on the Bay District course at the late meeting; but as she only had to "pack" 87 pounds then, while Lady Amanda had 101 pounds up, there is another element in the calculation in the 18 pounds more. Some very shrewd observers think the "flying filly" is not competent to carry weight, and predict her defeat. The race is to be run on the Oakland course, and this is another point in favor of the one who is at home. Should the rain continue the track may be very deep, and in that case the best "mud horse" will have a strong pull in their favor.

Runaway Accident.

The team attached to Duffy & O'Neal's coal delivery wagon, became frightened in front of the TRIBUNE office this morning, and started off on a run. The driver, who had been delivering coal, reached the sidewalk in time to jump into the rear end of the wagon, but just as he was attempting to climb over the seat to get possession of the lines, the frantic team dashed round the corner into Eighth street, upsetting the wagon and throwing the driver heavily against the crossing, inflicting serious injuries about the head and shoulders.

Oakland's Growth.

A few days since we gave the rough guess of a leading architect at the number of houses erected in Oakland during the past year, the estimate being placed at 1,134. Since the item was published, E. J. Kelly, the well know real estate dealer, has taken the trouble to ascertain the number accurately, and found by actual count that 1,643 new buildings were erected within the corporate limits of this city during the year just ended.

I. O. O. F. Election.

At a regular meeting of Mission Peak Lodge, No. 114, I. O. O. F., held at Washington Corners a few evenings since, the following officers were elected: A. S. Clark, N. G.; A. Thompson, V. G.; G. A. Babb, R. S.; L. Nichaus, P. S.; O. P. Moulton, T.; A. O. Rix, J. T. Walker and G. A. Babb, Trustees.

Anniversary Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirasole will give an anniversary party at their hall, 420 Post street, San Francisco, on Wednesday evening, January, 5th. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. in Oakland should bear this date in mind.

Boots and Shoes.

John Sullivan, northeast corner of Battery and Jackson streets, San Francisco, offers a splendid line of boots and shoes at very moderate prices. See his advertisement under "New To-Day" for his prices.

Raffle.

There will be a raffle for a Howe's sewing machine and a pair of boots at Wemmer's saloon, Saturday, January 8th, 1876.

A Bargain.

Messrs. Olney & Co. offer a large lot on Market street at a bargain. See advertisement in the 50-Cent column of to-day's TRIBUNE.

Rooms to Let.

Advertisement of rooms to let, either furnished or unfurnished, can be found in our 50-Cent column.

SKATING RINK.—The Skating Rink at the Point is open on Wednesday and Saturday evenings. Mr. McDaniels, the gentlemanly proprietor, will be in constant attendance. The lovers of sport should attend the Rink in goodly numbers.

LADIES' HAIR DRESSER.—Miss Cradock, Room 21, Central Block, over Schriber's furniture store, has always on hand a large stock of hair. Weaving, curling and combing made up. Ladies attended at their residences.

THE OLD YEAR'S CRIMES.

Annual Report of Captain of Police—Some Interesting Statistics.

OFFICE CAPTAIN OF POLICE, CITY HALL, OAKLAND, January 1, 1876.

To Hon. Mack Webber, Mayor and ex-Officio Chief of Police, Oakland—SIR: In response to an ordinance creating the office of Captain of Police approved October 11, 1869, I submit my report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1875.

The operations of the Police Department for the year have been very successful, all the officers, both regular and special, have been very prompt and energetic in the discharge of their duties.

The total number of arrests have been one thousand eight hundred, being five hundred and forty more than ever has been made in any one year since the organization of the Department.

GAMBLING.

While in San Francisco and all the principal cities of the State, faro banks and other banking games have been carried on with perfect impunity and boldness, it gives me great pleasure and satisfaction to be able to report to your Honor that no faro banks, or any other banking game has been carried on in the city of Oakland for a single night during the last year, or since I had the honor of being elected Captain of Police.

CHAIN GANG.

During the past year the chain gang have been daily employed in cleaning the streets and doing other necessary work. They have also been employed under the supervision of Officer Carleton in constructing the fire-alarm and police telegraph lines. One hundred and forty telegraph poles have been planed, painted and erected, and sixteen miles of wire put up. The whole line is completed with the exception of the fire alarm boxes which will be placed in position in a few days. I believe this is the first telegraph line ever constructed by prison labor.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D. H. RAND, Captain of Police.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ARRESTS

Made by the police during the year, and classification of the same:

Burglary, 16; grand larceny, 27; housebreaking, 13; felony, 11; attempt to break jail, 2; suspicion of burglary, 56; suspicion of grand larceny, 94; suspicion of housebreaking, 2; suspicion of arson, 1; threats against life, 6; petit larceny, 76; disturbing the peace, 84; battery, 54; assault, 44; misdemeanor, 37; insane, 24; malicious mischief, 16; vagrancy, 21; drunk and disorderly, 136; drunk, 704; runaway boys, 68; prisoners en route, 5; violating city ordinance, 203; assault to kill, 6; arson, 2; forgery, 1; fighting, 41; assault with deadly weapons, 12; suspicion of insanity, 11; exposure of person, 4; gaming, 9; violating United States revenue law, 2; cruelty to animals, 1; adultery, 1; suspicion of robbery, 4; attempt to commit suicide, 2; defaulting witnesses, 7; assault to commit rape, 4; detained as witness, 2; conspiracy to murder, 2. Total, 1,800.

SCHEDULE "B."

Comparative statement of the number of arrests by and strength of the police force, and average number of arrests per officer for seven years preceding December 31, 1875:

Year	No. of Police.	No. of Arrests.	Avrg. No. Arrests per officer.
1869	6	450	75
1870	10	702	70
1871	10	866	87
1872	11	824	74
1873	12	1,087	90
1874	11	1,260	114
1875	10	1,800	180

SCHEDULE "C."

Total number of prisoners for the year, and the average number per day, with the cost of feeding the same:

Total number of prisoners for the year, seven thousand four hundred and seventy-three.

Average number of prisoners per day, twenty and one-half.

Total number of meals furnished during the year, twenty-two thousand four hundred and eighteen, at a cost of sixteen and a quarter cents per day, or less than five and a half cents per meal.

Received for feeding county prisoners, and paid to City Treasurer, one hundred and fifty-seven and thirty one-hundredths dollars, which reduces the actual cost to the city for feeding prisoners for the year, to one thousand and fifty-three dollars and six cents.

SCHEDULE "D."

Total amount of property reported stolen for the year and amount recovered by the Police Department for the same period:

Amount of property reported stolen,	twenty-eight thousand six hundred and ten dollars.
Amount of stolen property recovered,	fourteen thousand eight hundred and forty-two dollars.

SCHEDULE "E."

Comparative statement of the number of police officers and the average number of arrests made by each officer, and number of inhabitants to each policeman in the principal cities of California for the past year:

	Population.	Number of Police.	Number of Arrests.	Average Number Arrests to Officer.	Number Inhabitants to each Policeman.
San Francisco	225,000	156	20,152	110	2,015
Sacramento	25,000	2,325	13	179	1,923
San Jose	1,600	1,084	8	135	2,000
Oakland	25,000	1,800	10	180	2,500

MISCELLANEOUS.

Number of persons provided with lodgings at the City Hall for the year, one thousand and forty-five.

Number of subpœnas served for the year, six hundred and ninety.

Total number of fines collected in Police Court for the year, nine thousand, four hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-five cents.

The County Grounds.

The Board of Supervisors this afternoon adopted the plan drawn by Newsom Brothers, architects, for beautifying the grounds about the court-house. The matter of planting trees according to this plan was referred to the Building Committee, with power to act. One Supervisor inquired if this reference carried with it authority for the committee to transplant the big trees of Calaveras. The Chairman thought it did, but hoped the committee would not use its license to that extent.

Dividend Declared.

The Oakland Bank of Savings today declared a dividend for the six months ending December 31, 1875, as follows: To stockholders and first-class depositors, at the rate of 9¼ per cent. per annum, payable on and after the 10th instant. We are pleased to note this evidence of prosperity of one of our most beneficial institutions. All dividends not called for on or before the 1st of February, will be passed to the credit of those entitled to them.

Free Dispensary.

Dr. J. Watson Webb, of 262 and 264 Tenth street, gives notice in our advertising columns that he will devote one hour each day to the service of the poor, free of charge.

THE GRAND CENTRAL HALL will hereafter be in charge of John Deery, the champion of the diamond cue. Mr. Deery will give exhibitions in billiards every evening at the Grand Central Hotel.

WHITENING.—Best and cheapest place to get your whitening done is at J. E. How's, corner Ninth and Broadway, opposite Union Bank. Also, sign painting, paints, oil, etc.

Bacon's Palace of Sweets, 965 Broadway, is the place to get a box of fine home-made or French Candies. They are received daily, per Bacon's Express, from five of the most prominent makers in San Francisco.

Messrs. Dunham & Lathrop's New Photographic Art Gallery, at No. 1157 Broadway, west side, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, near the City Hall, is now open to the public. This is the only photographic establishment on the Pacific Coast, fitted up in first-class style, where everything is on the ground floor, altogether dispensing with an "elevator" or stairs. Every style of work known in the business is here executed in admirable style, including the new promenade and gray vignettes. Special attention given to children's pictures, locket work, copying and enlarging. View work will also receive special attention. Terms always reasonable.

THE COUNTY.

Items of Interest from Different Points in the County.

From the Livermore *Enterprise* we take the following:

The following are the officers of Livermore Lodge, No. 219 of I. O. O. F.: Norris D. Dutcher, N. G.; R. N. Caughell, V. G.; George E. Freeman, R. S., John Campbell, P. S.; Israel Horton, Treasurer.

From strangers who have been in our town during the past week, we learn that in no place that they have visited does the grain fields look so promising as in Livermore valley. If we can only have a few days' rain in March and April we think our farmers can safely rely upon an extra good crop. In the western portion of the valley the grain is up remarkably well for the time of year, and upon the hillsides it never looked better. It is the general opinion that the approaching harvest will be the largest ever raised in the State. Let us trust that it may.

PLEASANTON.

Notwithstanding the stringency of the money market our town still continues to improve. Four new houses have gone up, and several parties are building fences and painting up like a belle preparing for a Christmas ball.

Real estate still continues lively. Mr. John E. Stover has lately purchased the Osburn property for $750. John McRae has bought the Selbach property for $2,025, J. Kelly has bought two lots of Mrs. Davis for $250, and W. A. Jordon has purchased a lot from Henry Wood for $250.

At the store of M. B. Lander & Co., may be seen eighteen potatoes, weighing in the aggregate thirty-five pounds. They are of the Humboldt species, are all large, smooth and round, and were raised by Mr. D. S. Turner, on land cultivated by him in the "Hollow."

J. A. Neal has discovered a new spring near his house which has fine medicinal qualities. It evidently contains Salts, Sulphur and Magnesia. It is near "Lovers Retreat," is one more inducement for sickly sentimental young folks to go there—if they are very bad, a few doses will cure them.

The measles which have been raging in this vicinity for several weeks past, have nearly subsided. The supply is supposed to have been exhausted, there not being quite enough to go all around. They attacked both our school teachers; but they have both sufficiently recovered to resume their duties.

SUNOL.

Our farmers have got on well with their seeding, and were it not for the late rain would have the greatest part of their crops in. However, the future bright prospects are so flattering that we all feel happy.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Supervisors Aviso, Burnham, Marlin, Overacker, Pumyea, Shattuck and Case—Supervisor Burnham in the Chair.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved. The rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing W. W. Theobald in relation to county printing.

The reports of Messrs. Babb and Peacock, Road Overseers respectively of Washington and Mission San Jose districts, were referred to Supervisor Overacker.

S. P. Woodward was allowed until the next regular meeting to report.

The reports of William Holtz, Justice of the Peace for the township of Alameda, J. Lentell, Justice of the Peace, and S. Zimmerman, Poundmaster of District No. 9, were ordered on file.

The clerk was ordered to return the report of S. Smith, Poundmaster of District No. 7, for completion.

The petition of W. W. Theobald, in relation to obtaining a portion of the county printing, was ordered on file.

The petition of J. Walker, for a return of tax money overpaid, was referred to the District Attorney.

One bill was returned for correction, several were referred to appropriate committees, and following are the

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills were allowed: B. McGrath, $56; W. L. Church, $207 37; *Oakland Journal*, $6; Bartling & Kimball, $402 59; City of Oakland, $49 44; Bishop & Powers, $75; Alameda Macadamizing Company, $53 72; Butler & Bowman, $42 50; F. K. Krauth, $70; George B. Shearer, $30.

The report of T. J. Arnold, engineer, appointed to look after the building of the San Leandro bridge, was presented and the matter was postponed until the afternoon session. This afternoon the bids for beautifying the Court House ground; will be taken up.

Board adjourned until 1 o'clock P. M.

TOWN OF ALAMEDA.

Property—Courts—I. O. O. F. Election—Fish—Etc.

The *Encinal* furnishes the following interesting information:

Property in Alameda is assuming an upward tendency. We have heard of sales lately at considerable advance on former ruling rates.

Alameda has entirely escaped Grand Jury service for the approaching term of the County Court—not a single name from this township having been drawn.

Most of the parties who are contesting the payment of the Webster-street bridge-tax met at the Town Hall last Monday evening. Thos. A. Smith, Esq., was called to the Chair. A general discussion of the subject in hand was had by those present, and then the meeting adjourned to Thursday evening next, January 6th, 1876, at the same place, when all interested are invited to be present.

Just before Christmas a lady lost a valuable pin on one of our local trains. The fact was mentioned to the conductor, O. W. Ames, who looked for and found the missing jewel, and sent it to the lady in San Francisco. On Christmas morning he received a prompt acknowledgment for his kindness, accompanied with a fitting Christmas gift and the compliments of the season—both of which Conductor Ames greatly appreciates.

Encinal Lodge, No. 161, I. O. O. F., elected officers for the ensuing term, last Monday evening, as follows: Noble Grand, Alfred Bannister; Vice Grand, Charles W. Damon; Recording Secretary, Charles H. Ham; Permanent Secretary, M. W. Peck; Treasurer, Thomas Hayselden. District Deputy Grand Master J. Y. B. Goodrich will install the officers next Monday evening. All members of the Lodge and all Odd Fellows, in good standing, residing in the town, are invited to be present.

Nearly any day Chinese fishermen may be seen catching young smelt and herring in the old ferry slips, at Alameda wharf. They have very fine square nets, through which the smallest minnows cannot escape, and at each corner of the net ropes are fastened, and passed through pulleys on the wharf. The nets are dropped about ever twenty minutes; when hauled up, the boat is pushed out under the trap in the center of the net, which is opened, and the fish dumped into the boat. Thousands of young fish are caught daily, taken away, dried, and are then ready for Celestial consumers.

CALIFORNIANS IN PARIS.

Following are the names of Californians registered in Paris December 12th, 1875.

Mrs P Van Bayer, Miss Lee Van Bayer, E. Schnitze and wife, Miss Kathleen Thompson, Mrs Hall McAllister, Misses McAllister, Mrs Neale Lapham, Mrs H Marshall and son, Mrs J W Wilde and family, Charles Warren Stoddard, H R Bloomer, Charles Chandler, Abe Coleman, W Melvin Smith, C F Yarco, A B McGreery, D E Hungerford and wife, Miss Ada Hungerford, John H Le Gay, Mrs F A Hussey, Frank Hussey, J Harden Hickey, Mrs F J Hickey, Mrs J Preston Moore, Mrs S M Meeks and family, Mrs L H Bonesteil and family, C K Bonesteil, Mrs Jeremiah Clarke and family, Colonel Jules Berton and family, R Seelliar, Titus F Cronise, Samuel C Biglow and wife.

Servant Wanted.

Read 50-Cent Column for a servant girl wanted.

IT IS SUICIDE IN THE THIRD DEGREE, if not worse, to suffer a cough and cold to culminate in consumption, when a single bottle of HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR, taken in time, would effect a perfect and permanent cure.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

CONTRA COSTA.

News and Events in and About Contra Costa County.

The Contra Costa *Gazette* furnishes the following items:

The Martinez public school, after the present holiday vacation, is to reopen a week from Monday next, the 10th of January.

Mr. H. B. M. Kincaid, an old resident of Pacheco, and well and favorably known in this county, has received an appointment as one of the Guards at the State Prison.

The rain on Monday night and Tuesday was much heavier in the San Ramon district than here, bordering the bay, and sent down water enough to flood the flat land about Pacheco, but it ran off in a few hours and was not high enough to get up to the street grade.

A most eligible site, embracing three acres of land and a right of way one hundred feet wide to ship channel, has been secured by the Directory of the Grangers' Business and Warehouse Association, and surveys for the wharf and roadway are now being completed.

Though the roads have not got deeply soaked or mired, they are muddy enough to make it exceedingly tedious and unpleasant to travel them. So far there has been no serious washing out of embankments or bridges, and a week or two of fine weather, with the now lengthening days, would make the roads comfortably passable; and light repairs in the Spring will make good the Winter damages unless there should yet be much heavier storms than any we have had.

During the past four weeks the mails by the Oakland route have not generally reached Martinez until the day after they were due, including the mail matter from Lafayette, Walnut Creek, Danville and San Ramon. Besides this inconvenience to correspondents by this route, the Sacramento boat has several times lately got down and left Benicia before the hour for the delivery of our mail there, and it has consequently been left over. This was the case on Saturday last, when the mail from here that should have gone down that evening, did not go until Monday evening, and important correspondence may thus have been delayed to somebody's great annoyance or injury perhaps. At all events the Railroad Company should be required to fulfill its obligations as carrier by running its boats so as to keep the mail connections.

Although but little has recently been heard respecting the quicksilver ores in the Marsh Creek neighborhood of which such rich and abundant indications were discovered last spring, there is no reason to doubt that very rich deposits of cinnabar will yet be opened on the lead indicated by the rich float ore of which hundreds of tons can be gathered from the surface at a very small expense. We are informed by Mr. A. S. Howard, an entirely trustworthy resident of the neighborhood, that the lead of float cinnabar, some two hundred yards in width, is distinctly traceable in a direct course for a distance of more than ten miles, and the larger portion of this surface rock is rich in quicksilver, much of it showing the minute globules of the pure metal. We are also informed by Mr. Howard that parties of experience in quicksilver and other mining are making preparations to begin work soon, for finding some of the underground beds from which it is presumed the float rock has drifted.

RETROSPECTIVE AND PROSPECTIVE

An Encouraging Showing for Alameda.

Under the above head, our gentlemanly friend of the *Encinal*, F. L. Krauth, gives the annexed interesting sketch, which we reproduce in full, as we believe Mr. K. to be a hard-working, industrious gentleman, and worthy of a hearty support from his neighbors:

A trifle over six years ago we landed our pioneer press and printing material at Encinal Station, and placed it in a small cottage house opposite what is now known as "Gamble's Retreat." The town of Alameda was then little else than a forest of live oaks, with here and there a "clearing," and the population was rated at 1,200. Our city friends thought we had bid adieu to our wits when we announced our intention to "start a paper in the woods." Some were generous enough to give us six months "roughing" in which to sicken of our project; others extended the time to one year; but no one, for a moment, thought that we would ever become a fixture of the town. We have outlived and outgrown all their prophecies. At times, we admit, we almost despaired of ever seeing the town advance. It seemed to be tied down to inanition and moss-grown sloth. But we never flagged in our exertions to let the outside world know what a lovely spot we inhabited, within sight of the great Pacific metropolis. We labored, and waited. We felt an inward assurance that nothing short of an all-absorbing earthquake could prevent Alameda from becoming, in time, the cynosure of thousands of eyes then seeking advantageous homesteads; and that if the town did not become a business center for a score of years, it would, within a very short period, be a place of residence the peer, if not the superior of any bordering on the Bay of San Francisco. Our impressions began to be realized soon after the town's incorporation. With this act came new energy to the then residents of Alameda, and it was not long thereafter that new faces began to appear in our midst. From 1870—when the Census Marshal gave us a population rising 1,500—to the present date, our progress has been steady and encouraging. Today we number not less than 3,200 souls; and, with the last year's advancement as a basis of calculation, we will, by the end of 1876, nearly or quite double that number. This is no vain boasting. Facts can be submitted which cannot be gainsayed. Most of the large tracts of land that have hitherto been held by a few individuals, have, within the past year, been subdivided and sold to parties with a view to immediate improvement. Hundreds of lots have thus been disposed of. The number of new buildings erected during the year—as we learn from observation and other reliable authority—may be safely set down at somewhat over one hundred; and even now, though in mid winter, new houses are in process of erection on every hand. Better than all else, the population we are now acquiring is just the kind of which good citizens are made, the world over. Within the coming year we believe the population of Alameda will have so increased as to justify us in publishing a *Daily Encinal*, on the press we recently imported from the Wells' Foundry, Cincinnati, Ohio, with this object in view.

Of course our business must increase considerably to justify us in this undertaking; and for that increase we look to the intelligence and local pride of our town people. The character of every town may be accurately obtained by an examination of its local papers. If they bear the marks of intelligence and prosperity upon their faces, you need not ask the status of the community in which they are published. And if they do not bear these marks, the question is answered without the asking. The index is a true one, whichever phase it may present. Therefore, if you would not be condemned as a community, keep your local paper up to a proper standard, by a patronage commensurate with its necessities and your local pride.

OVERLAND ARRIVALS TO-NIGHT.

Following is a list of passengers to arrive by overland train this evening:

Mrs E B Phillips, Sarah Phillips, San Francisco; Mrs Collier, Elko; John S Capron and family, Salt Lake; Mrs P O Cutter, Denver; Mrs Bertchly, E V Bayard, E Fox, Z L Tanner, New York; G B Keiler, A Sejear, K F Booth, Chicago; George H Powers and wife, Russell Chapman and wife, New Haven; S F Woodworth, wife and child, Rockford, Ill; Mrs J Steele, Paris, Ill; John Griffin, Troy, N Y; Miss M F Brown, Kentucky; Miss Carrie E Snow, James K Lyons, Massachusetts; A Wentz, wife and two children, Ohio; S Scott, W D Adams, S Wiley, Indiana; P D Vaughan, Minnesota; John B Starr, A F Sturges, Connecticut; and sixteen immigrants.

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WISHES TO INFORM HIS FRIENDS AND acquaintances that he has gone into the

Cigar and Tobacco Business,

At 1052 Broadway,

Where he always keeps on hand the finest imported brands of Cigars, Tobacco, etc.

LISTS OF LETTERS.

Following are the letters remaining in the Oakland and Brooklyn Postoffices, Jan. 3d, 1876. Please say "advertised."

OAKLAND LIST.

Adams Mrs Nellie
Allen Frank
Appley Miss Jessie-2
Ames A N
Baine Rose D
Bailey Lizzie M for Mr John Wolfe
Baker S L for

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Nos. 1064 and 1066 Broadway, East Side,

NEAR 12th STREET, CENTRAL BLOCK.

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I am now receiving from some of the largest factories in the East a fine

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I have also on hand a large and complete assortment of

PLAIN, MEDIUM AND FANCY WALNUT FURNITURE,

Of the Latest Designs and Patterns,

Parlor Suits in Cortelaine, Reps, Tapestry and Hair Cloth.

SPRING BEDS, HAIR MATTRESSES, FEATHER PILLOWS, Etc.

Thanking you for the liberal patronage you have bestowed on me for the past five years, I would ask it a continuance of the same in the future as well as the past. My motto will be "QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS." Don't forget the numbers,

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Handkerchief of all kinds	8c.	25
Corsets	50c.	$1 00
Dress Goods (all wool, latest style)	25c.	1 00
Ladies' Shawls (all wool)	50.	1 00
Ladies Driving Gloves	25.	2 50
Felt Skirt	75.	4 50
Black Alpaca (silk lustre)	37.	1 00
Cambrillas	75.	1 50
White Shirts (fashionable)	50.	2 00
Merino Shirts and Drawers	50.	1 50
French Socks	16.	25

Carpet and Oil Cloths are sold at the following rates

Heavy Ingrain Carpet (yard wide)	60.	75
Hemp Carpet (yd. wide)	25.	50
Oil Cloth (yard wide)	37.	60
Matting	12½.	25
Table Oil Cloth	35.	75

In shoes and rubbers we have bargains for everybody.

	For	Actual Val.
Ladies' Foxed Shoes	1 00.	2 00
Ladies' Full Scollaped Shoes, double soled	75.	2 00
Ladies' Buttoned Shoes	2 50.	7 00
French Kid	2 75.	6 00
Children's Shoes of all kinds, 60 cents to	1 00.	

Toys and other goods suitable for holiday presents.

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Fire Engines	10.	1 00
"	50.	1 50
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New York Times, June 13, 1875.

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THE POPULAR ROUTE OVERLAND

Passengers for Chicago, Niagara Falls, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Montreal, Quebec, New York, Boston, or any point East, should buy their

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Via the Pioneer Route,

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Its Track is of STEEL RAILS, and on it has been made the FASTEST time that has ever been MADE in this country. By this route passengers for points East of Chicago have choice of the following lines from Chicago:

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By the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway and Connections (New York Central and Erie Railroads),

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2 THROUGH TRAINS DAILY, with Pullman Palace Cars, for Newark, Zanesville, Wheeling, Washington and Baltimore without change.

This is the SHORTEST, BEST and only line running the PULLMAN celebrated PALACE SLEEPING CARS AND COACHES, connecting with Union Pacific Railroad at OMAHA and from the WEST, via Grand Junction, Marshall, Cedar Rapids, Clinton, Sterling and Dixon, for CHICAGO AND THE EAST.

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Reference is confidently made by the undersigned to the work done two years ago on the elegant premises of W. C. Talbot, Esq., 654 Jackson street, and more recently on the magnificent premises of J. B. Huggin, Esq., Taylor street, San Francisco, from whom we have testimonials of satisfaction; also the work lately done in this city for E. Green, Esq., Judge Harmon and Mr. Grayson on Jackson street; A. E. P. Harmon and W. E. Miller, Esqs., Webster street, and Mr. Ward on Lake street.

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Every Description of Fur Trimmings and Buggy Robes.

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A First Rate Cloak Cutter Wanted.

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Served by Carriers, 15 cents per Week

MONDAY..... JANUARY 3, 1876

The Speed of Railway Trains.

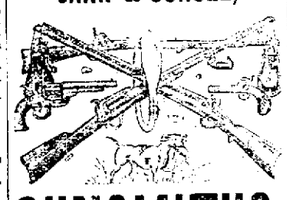
Trains are now run at about the rate of forty miles an hour, sometimes much faster, and generally somewhat slower. The fastest trains in England run at sixty miles an hour. To run at this rate, the piston or driving-rod of the locomotive must travel at the speed of 800 feet per minute, or so rapidly that it cannot be seen to move at all. George Stephenson, the first to claim that the locomotive could run at twelve miles an hour, was called insane *until he proved it*. It was but a few years after this that prominent engineers said that railway trains could be regularly run at the rate of 100 miles an hour; and Stephenson was again called insane because he said that fifty miles an hour was as fast as trains could be regularly and safely run. But it is now discovered that he was nearly right, and locomotive-makers are no longer building engines to run faster than at this rate.

Fresh Water from the Sea.

A method of procuring fresh water from the sea water through the direct action of the sun's rays is among the foreign inventions. The apparatus consists of a box of wood 1 inch thick, about 15 feet long, 2 feet wide, and of an average depth of six inches. The upper part of the box is closed with ordinary glass, which has an inclination of 1½ inches. At the lower edge of the glass there is a semi-circular channel, destined to receive the fresh water, which is condensed on the interior surface of the glass. The operation is exceedingly simple. The salt water is let into the box for about an inch in depth, and is then exposed to the rays of the sun. A very active evaporation begins, and it is found that a square metre of glass will condense daily the amount of two gallons pure water.

—The durability of the soles of boots and shoes may be greatly increased by coating them with gum copal varnish, which also has the effect of making them waterproof. Four or five coats should be given, allowing each coat of varnish to dry before the succeeding one is applied. Soles thus treated possess twice the usual durability, and generally outlast the best uppers. The leather uppers of boots or shoes may be rendered soft and waterproof by rubbing into them while warm, before the fire, a mixture composed of four ounces of hog's fat and one ounce of resin.

JAHN & SCHOLL,



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GUNS MADE AND REPAIRED. SHOT-GUNS bored to shoot close and hard. Will keep on hand for sale, Guns and Rifles, Parlor Air Pistols, Ammunition, Flasks, Pouches, Game Bags, etc. Also

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We have one of the finest and largest foot-turning lathes in California, which will enable us to do the most perfect work in all kinds of metal. Call and see.

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PARTIES DESIROUS OF PROCURING rooms either in the main house or cottages would do well to make early application.

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The grounds, embracing a large tract covered with trees of all kinds, makes it a most desirable boarding place, within convenient distance of San Francisco.

There are New Cottages within the grounds, unfurnished, and parties having furniture can rent and furnish them to suit themselves, and take their meals in the main house, thus virtually living as if keeping house, and have none of its cares and annoyances.

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C. P. R. R.

COMMENCING

THURSDAY, DEC. 16th, 1875,

And until further notice,

TRAINS AND BOATS WILL LEAVE

SAN FRANCISCO:

7.00 A. M. (Sundays excepted), Vallejo Steamer from Broadway Wharf, connecting at Vallejo with Cars for Calistoga, Knight's Landing and Sacramento, making close connection at Napa with Stages for Sonoma. (Arrive 5.50 P. M.)

8.00 A. M. Daily, Atlantic Express Train via Oakland Ferry for Sacramento, Marysville, Redding and Portland, Or., Colfax, Reno, Ogden and Chicago, Connects at Niles with Train arriving at San Jose at 12.20 P. M. (Arrive 5.35 P. M.)

8.00 A. M. (Sundays only), Vallejo Steamer from Broadway Wharf, connecting at Vallejo with Trains for Calistoga and Sacramento, and at Napa with Stages for "Sonoma." (Arrive 5.35 P. M.)

Stages connect from Broadway Wharf, foot of Broadway, for Petaluma and Landings on the San Joaquin River. (Arrive 10.00 A. M.)

3.00 P. M. Daily, C. P. R. R. Sunset Passenger Train via Oakland Ferry, connecting at all Way Stations. (Arrive 9.35 A. M.)

4.00 P. M. Daily, Passenger Train via Oakland Ferry, connecting at Lathrop with Express Train for Merced, Visalia, Stockton, Gilroy, and Los Angeles; also at Niles with Train arriving at San Jose at 8.35 P. M. (Arrive 12.40 P. M.)

4.00 P. M. (Sundays excepted), Vallejo Steamer from Broadway Wharf, connecting at Vallejo with Trains for Calistoga, Knight's Landing, and Sacramento. (Arrive 11.10 A. M.)

4.00 P. M. (Sundays excepted), Steamer from Broadway Wharf, touching at Benicia and Landings on the Sacramento River, for Colusa. Second and Third Class Passengers to and from Ruby Cars via Sacramento at 7.00 A. M. daily. (Arrive 8.00 P. M.)

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From SAN FRANCISCO to OAKLAND.

"Daily"—7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00 and 11.00 A. M.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.30 and 10.30 P. M.

"Daily, except Sundays"—6.10 A. M. and 11.45 P. M.

"Sundays only"—10.30 and 11.30 A. M.; 12.30 and 1.30 P. M.

From SAN FRANCISCO to ALAMEDA.

"Daily"—7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 A. M.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.30 and 10.30 P. M.

"Sundays only"—11.00 A. M. and 1.30 P. M.

From SAN FRANCISCO to FERNSIDE.

"Daily, except Sundays"—7.00, 9.00 and 10.00 A. M.; 3.30 and 10.30 P. M.

From SAN FRANCISCO to BROOKLYN.

"Daily"—7.00, 8.30 and 9.30 A. M.; 1.00, 3.00 4.00, 5.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.30 and 9.30 P. M.

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"Sundays only"—10.30, 11.30 A. M. and 12.30 P. M.

From BROOKLYN to SAN FRANCISCO.

"Daily"—6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40 and 1.40 A. M.; 12.40, 2.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.50, 9.00 and 10.40 P. M.

"Daily, except Sundays"—5.40 and 5.50 A. M.

"Sundays only"—10.40, 11.40 A. M., and 1.25 P. M.

From ALAMEDA to SAN FRANCISCO.

"Daily"—7.00, 8.00 and 9.00 A. M.; 3.00, 3.58, 5.00, 6.05 and 7.00 P. M.

"Daily, except Sundays"—5.10, 5.40 and 11.30 A. M., and 1.30 P. M.

"Sundays only"—10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00 and 1.00 P. M.

From FERNSIDE to SAN FRANCISCO.

"Daily, except Sundays"—6.55, 8.00, and 11.03 A. M.; 2.55, and 6.25 P. M.

From OAKLAND to SAN FRANCISCO.

"Daily"—5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.25, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.25, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.25 and 11.20 A. M.; 12.00, 12.50, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.10 and 10.20 P. M.

"Daily, except Sundays."—5.20 and 6.40 A. M., and 1.50 P. M.

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Oakland Insurance Agency!

ROOMS NOS. 8 and 9,

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OAKLAND, CAL.

The ROYAL CANADIAN INSURANCE COMPANY having withdrawn from the San Francisco Board of Underwriters, I have resigned the Agency of that Company.

I am prepared to write policies and transact all other business pertaining to Insurance in

Alameda and Contra Costa Counties,

IN THE OLD RELIABLE

North British & Mercantile Insurance Co.

OF LONDON AND EDINBURGH,

CAPITAL.....$10,000,000

H. W. GEORGE,

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Who may be suffering from the effects of youthful follies or indiscretion, will do well to avail themselves of this, the greatest boon ever given to the aids of suffering humanity. DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit $500 for every case of seminal weakness or private disease of any kind or character which he undertakes or fails to cure. He would, therefore, say to the unfortunate sufferer who may read this notice, that you are trading upon desperate ground when you longer delay in seeking the proper remedy for your complaint. You may be in the first stage (remember you are approaching the last). If you are troubled with the last, and are suffering some or all of the evil effects, rest assured that it can absolutely be cured in a reasonable time, the time must come when the most skilful physicians can render you no assistance; when the door of hope will be closed against you; when no amount of money can bring you relief. In no case has Dr. Spinney failed of success. Then let not despair work itself upon your imagination, but avail yourself of the Venetian nostrum, or his treatment (if your case is beyond the reach of medical skill, or helping palm it off) lest the you to a premature grave.

MIDDLE-AGED MEN.

There are hosts of (if we may so call them) enfeebled with the thousand evils attendant on the bladder, urinal, accompanied by a sticky mucus, like or lining of the urinal passage, and a weakening of the system in a manner the patient cannot account for; on examination the urinary deposits a rope sediment will often be found, and sometimes small particles of albumen will appear, or the color will be of a thin and watery hue, scanty changing to a dark and frothy appearance. There are many such who die of the difficulty, ignorant of the disease, which is the result of years of seminal weakness. Dr. S. will guarantee a perfect cure in all such cases, and a healthy restoration of the genito-urinary organs. All orders or communications strictly confidential. Medicines packed so as not to excite curiosity, and sent by express, if full description of case is given. Office Advice,

DR. A. B. SPINNEY,

No. 31 Kearny street, San Francisco.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda. Lucy E. Dunn, plaintiff, vs. Alphonso Dunn, defendant. Action brought in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, and the complaint filed in said county of Alameda in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Alphonso Dunn, defendant. You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or if served out of this county but in this District, within twenty days; otherwise within forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a judgment or decree of this court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff, Lucy E. Dunn, and that the care, custody and control of the minor children, issue of your marriage with the plaintiff, be awarded to plaintiff; also that a decree be made confirming to plaintiff all the real estate and to her separate property and all property mentioned and described in the complaint filed in this action, and to which you are hereby notified for a full description thereof, and for such other and further relief as is agreeable to equity.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, this 14th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

J. V. E. COOLEDGE, Clerk.
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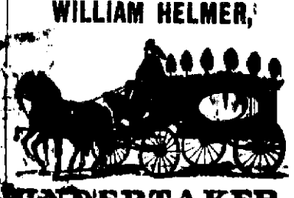

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